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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) RDID 0043 US										
	In re Application of Z. TMMER											
	Application Number 09/554,793	Filed 09/19/00										
	FoCapillary Active Test Element Having an Intermediate Layer Situated Between the Support and a Unit Covering 1743											
Examiner QUAN												
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.												
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):												
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		<u>Jill L. Woodburn</u> Typed or printed name										
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.												

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 400.00)

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/554,793
Filing Date	09/19/2000
First Named Inventor	ZIMMER
Examiner Name	QUAN
Group Art Unit	1743
Attorney Docket No.	RDID 0043 US

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number 50-0877

Deposit Account Name Roche Diagnostics GmbH

 Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. Payment Enclosed:

 Check Credit card Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code	Large Entity (\$)	Small Entity (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200 Extension for reply within second month	400.00
117	920	217	460 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230 Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(d)	
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____				

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 0.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	13	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	2	-20** = 0	X	=
Multiple Dependent		-3** = 0	X	=

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203
102	84	202
104	280	204
109	84	209
110	18	210
		Claims in excess of 20
		Independent claims in excess of 3
		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
		** Reissue independent claims over original patent
		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0.00)

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 400.00)

Complete (if applicable)

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Signature	Jill L. Woodburn				
		Date	08/30/2002		

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